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POLITICAL MATTERS

ion. Roswell P. Flower for Gov ornor of New York.

NOMINATED ON THE PIRST BALLO

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SARATOGA, N. Y., Sept. 17.—At 10:15 o'clock Temporary Chairman Raines called the convention to order

and the commutes on credentials was called upon for its report. Chairman Judge McMuhon, of Oneida read the reports, and in addition sub mitted a preamble and resolution which were adopted unanimously, re citing the irregular action of the county democracy and declaring the right of Tammany Hall to nominate all inspec-tors of election and poll clerks to which

officers permanent. The report was Daniel G. Griffin, of Jefferson county.

The reading of the platform was received very quietly. The silver plank was greated with applause and Gov. was greeted with applause and Gov. Hill's name was theo applauded. The platform was unanimously adopted. Mr. Cantoe, of New York, offered a resolution welcoming the colored fel-low-citizen to the ranks of democracy and viewing with gratification his grow ng friendly attitude toward the party t was adopted unanimously.

Mr. Gilroy, of New York, moved, amid pplause, that the convention proceed of the nomination of candidates for governor. The motion was carried and Wilbur F. Porter, of Watertown, rose and nominated Roswell P. Flower.

and nominated Roswell P. Flower.
John R. Fellows, on behalf of New
York city, seconded the nomination.
Hon. W. C. Dewitt, of Kings county,
took the platform amid cheering and
nominated Alfred C. Chapin.
The calling of the roll then began.
Flower had everything until Kings
county was reached. The 36 votes of
that county were cast for Chapin.
Queens county cast 4 for Chapin and 2
for Flower. The roll-call resulted:
Flower, 334; Chapin, 42.
On motion of Chairman Adams of
Kings county the nomination was made
unanimous.
There was great cheering. The

There was great cheering. The convention stood. Everybody yelled and waved his hat. The band played "Hall to the Chief," and cheers were

given for Kings county. A committe was appointed to escort Mr. Flower t

of Buffalo, in nomination for lieuten-nat-governor, and paid a glowing tribute to his_friend. Mr. McLaughlin, of Monroe, and B. Cady Horrick, of Al-bany, seconded the nomination, and it was made by acclamation.

The band played "Comrades." The Sheehan banner was carried around the

The ticket was completed by the nomation of S. W. Rosendale, of Albany or attorney general; Frank Rice for ecretary of state, Elliott F. Danfortl treasurer, Martin Schenck for state

Raines proposed thre cheers for the ticket, which were given with a will, and the convention ad

fourned sine die. Mr. Allen was enthusiastically re-ceived and addressed the convention: his remarks were loudly applauded He was followed by Mr. Hale, who are

cepted his renomination in a brie Mr. Turner moved that the nomination of Gen. John W. Kimball, o. Fitchburg, for auditor, be made by ac-clamation. The question was put and

dr. Kimball was so nominated, with out a few dissenting votes.

The convention then at 5:15 p. m. djourned sine die.

The Massachusetts Republican State Convention. Boston, Sept. 17.—When Chairman Surdette of the state committee called the republican state convention to or-der in Tremont Temple, at 11:10 o'clock yesterday morning, he spoke to one of he largest gatherings that has over at tended the deliberations of the party lelegates. The committee on perma ent organization reported Henry Cabo Lodge as permanent president, with forty-five vice-presidents at large, and

eventy-eight vice-presidents by distriets. Mr. Lodge made a speech of great length covering most of the us-tional and local questions of the day. Io was listened to with the closest at tention and frequently received gener ous applause

The report of the committee on cred-tentials showed that thirty-six cities and 361 towns were represented in th ouvention by 1,245 out of a possible ,269 delegates. Hon. F. T. Greenhalge, of Lowell,

was appointed chairman of the com-mittee on resolutions. On motion of Mr. Chamberlin, of Cambridge, the convention voted that the nominating speeches for governor should not exceed twenty minutes, and the nomination of candidates was then

roceeded with.
Ex-Gov. John D. Long, of Binghar arose amid applause, and in a graceful speech presented the name of W. W. Crapo, of New Hedford, as candidate for governor. The name was received with enthusiastic cheering. Mr. Cogawell, of Salem, then took

Highest of all in Leavening Power. U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

the platform and, amid the greatest excitement and cheering, placed in nomination the name of Hon. Charles H. Allen, of Lowell. CITY OF THE DEAD

The Awful Condition of the Stricken City of Consuegra.

House to House in Search

Allen, of Lowell.

Hon, F. T. Greenhalge then reported the platform:

The republicans of Massachusetts most cordially congratulate President Harrison on the vigor, wiston and purity of his administration. The great qualities of course, aromes and judgment which have manked his course/are implicity relied upon by the country for deliverance from the impending reign of reckless projects of logislation. We congratulate the republican party and the country ulso upon the drumal enames of the present national administration of the principles of civil services reform.

It is cardinal principle of the republican party that full and adequate protection should be given to every elizan in every state and torritory of the union in the enjoyment of his sivil and political rights; and it is essential to the safety of our government that the right of the ballot and the purity of elections should be maintained safe standard of value in money. Every dellar issued by the government, whether apper or coin, should be agod as every other dollar. We are unalterably opposed to the unlimited colonge of sliver by this country, excepting upon a uniform international ratio to gold and wheler similar restrictions and conditions, both as to the government and individuals, as prevail in dors ment of the silver in the party platforms of Ohia, lown, Indiana, Michigan and eighteen other status. We again affirm our nuwavering ideality to the American system of protection and our boiler in its inextinable value to the interests of this country.

We congratuate the country that the experience of less than a twelveponent has

its inestlimble value to the interests of this country.

We congratible the country that the experience of less than a twelvemouth has already proved that instead of being fraught with disaster, as falsely predicted by our opponents, the tariff legislation of the last congress has resulted in the greathest property to the business interests of every section of the country. The charge of extrayagance in pensions we deny; the charge of fulfilling our piedges to the loyal soldiers of the country we admit.

While honesty, intelligence and industry will always find a welcome on these shores, the benefits of our institutions should not be extended to immigrants whose character or condition makes them objects of danger to the very institution whose shelter they seek.

ceeded to a formal ballot for governor. The balloting was completed at 2:25 and a recess was taken until 8 p. m., to and a recess was taken until 3 p. m., to allow time for counting the ballots. The result of the ballot was announced when the convention reasembled at 3:18 p. m. The total number of votes cast was 1,231. Necessary to a choice, 6:0: Grapo, 5:14; Allen, 7:18; Hale, 1; Lodge, 1; Greenhulge, 1.

Mr. Knewlton, of New Bedford, moved that the nomination of Allen be made unanimous. Carried amid turnel-

nade unanimous. Carried amid tumulnous cheering.

Ex-Governor Brackett in a speech which was frequently applauded nominated for lieutenant governor Hon. Wm. H. Hale, of Springfield, and the

vention were: For secretary of state, Wm. Olney; for state treasurer, George

Philadelphia County Republican Con-

vention.
PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 17.—The republican county convention met yesterday and nominated Goorge D. McCreary for city treasurer and William G. Shields

for register of wills.

Last night the friends of the successful candidates paraded the streets with brass bands and transparencies and cheered the candidates as they passed he various newspaper offices.

The National Game The following league and association vames were played yesterday;

cound Game-

Startling Developments Ahead,

DENYER; Col., Sept. 17.—There has for some time been much talk to the effect that the Denyer & Rio Grande effect that the Benver & Rio Grande road was gradinally being brought under Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe influences. The story is now current that since Chairman Coppell, of the Denver & Rio Grande, and President Manwell, of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe, mat in Denver a few days Santa Fe, met in Denver a few days ago an alliance has been effected which makes the Rio Grande in fact a feeder for the Santa Fe. This is practically a combine against the Union Pacific and the Missonri Pacific, the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy and the Rock

Officials of the Denver & Rio Grande will not admit the truth of the story, neither will they deny it; but one said a few days would show some startling

To Control the Importation of Pork Into Germany. BRELIN, Sept. 17.—A Hamburg dispatch says a syndicate of capitalists is being formed there with the purpose of constructing the new abattolrs at Chicago that it may be possible for the German capitalists to control the im-

Hon, F. T. Greenhalge then reported

Dead Carts as They Go from

found, are hurriedly trundled off fo time now for weeping of relatives of mourning of friends over the re dead menace the living; therefore with the utmost dispatch, in order number. In one building alone twen ty-seven corpses were found, a fac vhich may serve to convey some ide of the grim horror of this most terrible catastrophe to the minds of the most indifferent. Most all the dead thus far recovered have been without ident fication. The loss to property is roughly estimated at not less that \$3,000,000.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 17.—"This wor

Vera Ava is no mere Diss Debar than I am. If she is insane then I am. I am pretty sure I'm not unbalanced. She is one of the smartest women I ever knew." said Detective Grannan s "Who are the Chicago persons that

who are the Chicago persons that are paying her expenses at present?"

"There are none. I am paying them out of my own pocket. Hotel bills and all. I propose to get at the bottom of this matter before I drop it. My theory—well, I have one—and when I get ready to give it to the multis some get ready to give it to the public som people will be startled, a good many, i act. I have no motive agains Catholies, nor in favor of Methodist nor Presbyterians, nor any other sect

I am doing it for my own satisfaction.'
"There is a deep-laid scheme, I'll tell this much, such as in all my thirty-three years of experience as a detective I never met. On what side I will not tell, but it will implicate people who have as yet kept very dark."
"Do you know Liewellyn, her alleged Chicago agent."
"No. But if he is not a myth he shall be found. I have never yet pre-

The story of the kidnapping never varies. I took a stenographer and sevcross-questioned her in every way pos-sible, and under three hours stendy fire of questioning she never contra-dicted herself by a hair's breadth."

Miss Ava has handsome rooms at th Emery, and has been supplied with nest, dark dress, but clings to her wip neat, dark dress, but oning to a usual.
"I will have justice at last," she sighed, "thanks to this good gentleman. I have suffered enough to appreciate

The Southern Express Car Robber Captured. SAVANNAH, Ga., Sapt. 17. — Three men who held up a train on the Georgia Central railroad and robbed the southern express car Friday night near Savannah were captured this morning at Madison, Florida. They made a esperate fight and it is reported that brakeman on the Central and the other two were flagmen. Although \$30,000 was in the car, \$400 only was stolen. This was recovered. The men were be-

trayed by a woman. No Truth in the Statement. DULUTH, Minn., Sept. 17.—K. S. J. nes, of the firm of H. D. Turney & Co., of Chicago, proprietors of the Hocking coal and iron dock at Ashland, was seen lest evening by a United Press reporter in regard to the reported fire on their docks at Ashland (Threedor, proprints). Tuesday morning. He says himself and a party of friends were in Ashland Tuesday and there is no truth in th statement whatever.

Arrested for Embessiement. DENVER, Col., Sept. 17.—Tuesday night a post office inspector arrested B. B. Clawson, manager of the Security Abstract and Rating Co. He is charged with, defrauding the government in connection with Ex-Postmaster Bridges, of Grand Junction, who is a de-faulter in the sum of \$5,000. State Versus City.

Pirtsburgk, Pa., Sept. 17.—The case of the Commonwealth against the City of Philadelphia to recover the personal property tax of 1890, collected by City Treasurer Bardeley and not paid over to the state, is likely to be fixed for trial at a special term of the Dauphi county court, to be held in October. Instantly Killed,

SHAMOKIN, Pa., Sept. 17.—John Brovey was instantly killed at the Springfield colliery yesterday. He was fring a shot when a rush of coal occurred, completely covering him and also injuring John Zoneski, a fellow laborar. Want a National Exhibition in Berlin

BERLIN, Sept. 17.—Forty-five of the seventy-seven German chambers of ommerce have voted in favor of a na Electric Bitters.

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DEORIA—Bicycle Tournament Sept. 1 19; one and one-third fare. Tickets of Sept. 17, 18 and 19; good returning up to a cluding Sept. 21. DARIS—F. M. B. A. Jublice meeting Sept. 22; 1 one fare for round trip. Tickete good re-turning on all trains Sept. 23. F. W. GREENE, Pas. Agt. City Office, 122 E. Prairie.

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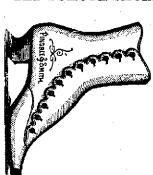
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Special Tax Notice.

and that the writ therein has been lovied you ustate and unless you shall be suit appear a sid court at the next september term there to be holten in the city of Decatur in said mucon county on the fourth fluoniay in the month of September A D 1891, give ball an aplead within the time limited for your appearance in such case, indement will be interestable by your and the estate so standed will be sold to satisfy the sum

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Chancery Notice.

In the Circuit Court to the September Term, A In the Circuit court to the September Term, A D 1831
Thiman Inlow complateaut, v. Mary Inlow, defendant Bill in Chancery for Divorce
Notice is hereby given to the above named defendant Mary Inlow that the above-maned complaint in Haman Inlow, has heretofore filet his bill of complaint in said Court on the chancery side thereof, against you, the said defendant in the above emitted cause, and that thereupon a summons issued out of said Court against you like above annued defendant, runnable on the first day of the September torm A D 1891 of said to rt to be held at the court house in the city of Decauter is said county and state beginning on the formation as all court from the city of Decauter is as it owners and that which cause is sail pending and unduternined in said court.

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In the Circuit Lourt to the September Term
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Diana Winter vs Nathan Winter plainant horsersfore filed her bill of complaint in said don't, on the chancery side thereof, and thereupon a summons issued out of said dourt against the said defendent returnable on the fourth Manday in September, A D 1891, at the court house in the city of Decatur, in said county and said suit is still pending and saids, and said suit is still pending E. McClkill AN, Glerk John & Randoch III Sol's for Complainant, augib diw

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Democrate
"I am still a Tammany man, but I beheve a serious if not a fatal mistake will result from Flower's nomination. To be sure he has contributed generously to our campaign funds, but that's all. He couldn't make a good speech to save his life, He'll have to be kept under cover during the campaign and a muzzle put on his mouth, or he will be walloped worse than Cleveland walloped Folger." THURSDAY EVE. CEPT 17, 1891 A call has been usued for a mass SPRINGFIELD Journal It is worth mentioning that while the price of print peeting of the women of Sangamor county to settle some questions growing clothe has come down under protection from 26 cents a yard in 1830, and 8 cent in 1850-60, to about 3 cents a yard at the present time, the rate of wages paid as more than in the decade before the war

out of the award of premiums at the recent Sangamon county fair The first trouble was dissatisfaction over the award of the premium for jelly cake, and later on it was found that great dissatisfaction existed in regard to the decision of the judges in the matter of corn bread In the case of jelly cake the winning cake was made of angel food and jully It is claimed that it was not jelly cake. In the case of corn bread the winner was made of corn starch, and it is claimed that a curn dodger made of corn starch is not a corn dodger. To settle this grave question which may come up at future fairs, if silowed to pass unchallenged, the call for a mass convention has been sessed When that convention meets the questions before it will be well defined. They will be, first, where shall the line be drawn on jelly cake? second, where shall the line be villing to admit that these are grave and nvoking the opinion of the brightest minds As Wm M Springer is a pro-duct of Sangamon county and a candidate for speaker of the next congress, it night oe well to interview him in the matter. He has now at his belt the enorsement of one body of women and no coubt he would be glad of an opportunity to give an opinion on jelly cake and corn dodgers, if for that pleasure he might secure the endorsement of the Sangamon county mass meeting Wiliam has acquired some notoriety as a dodger, but even his bitter enemies do ot believe he would dodge the corn-

Try William for an opinion, by all means David A. Wells and Shoddy. New York Press Our Democratio Mugwuup contemporanes have main amod a discreet silence for a number of lays on the absurd "shoddy" article o David A Wells, recently published in this city There is really no reason to treat the article seriously, but Mr. Wells has intherto had the reputation of being man of ordinary intelligence. When he, however, attempts to prove that the McKinley bill is to be held responsible for the development of consumption by suming that the wage carners of this untry are now obliged to wear shoddy clothing he is either in his dotage or he is guilty of putting forth deliberate free ade falsehoods with intent to alarm and deceive the laborers of this country, The facts are easy to ascertain The Press to day prints a communication elsewhere from Charles Fletcher, Eq., of Providence, R I, the largest producer of worsted goods and woolen goods in this country, and one of the ablest practical manufacturers in the United States Mr Fletober is himself an Englishman by birth, and his statement that the English towns of Dewsberry and Batley

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(SIME EVENING AS BARNUM) ported to have been performed upon a dying man for the removal of an ob Friday Evening, September 18. struction from the bowels. It was found that the obstruction consisted of a large mass of truman hair and that the hair R. D. MacLEAN

weighed about two ounces, and was that

of a woman or women. The surgeone

say the hair must have been swallowed

The patient says he never swallowed it

but the fact that he was married twice,

his first wife having black hair and his

second wife blonds hair is rather against

him, and may yet lead to his conviction

for having awallowed both wives, unles

he dies from the effects of the obstruc

tion and operation, which he is likely

DAN HEALY, collector of Cook county,

says that "Gen. Lieb is an officious, bull

headed old chump, who thinks he can

run the comptroller's office, but cannot"

Healy is evidently well acquainted with

Lieb Lieb is the duck who last spring

told the G A. R. post in Decatur that he

wrote in his memoranda at the battle of

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THE Republicans of Ohio are shive to the fact that the Democrats of that state

are doing all in their power to elect a

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nent was made in the newspapers. Pres

visitors would readily understand that there were two Methodist churches in

Decatur, and in order that the church

night have an equal show with the other

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was largely in favor of a change of name

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tion for a change was 40 to 8. The first

ormal vote was Grace 34, St. Paul 4, Stapp 24, none for Second Methodist

After further discussion the vote for the change to Grace M. E Church was made

were elected President, D. S. Shellabar-

ger; clerk, D. C. Corley; trustees, Theo.

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Bowers, J. W. Haworth, A. W. Conklin

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The fact has been stated that the conract has been let for the erection of a iew home for Biehop Thomas Byan, of the Alton Catholic Diocese, to be built at

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you enter the first floor, on the right of the hall, is the office and library; on the

left, the parlor, reception and dining

united by means of folding doors, and in

ight of the hall are intended for the

Bishop, the two rooms to the left are for

the chancellor and secretary. The chapel

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The architectural plans of the building

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St. Louis to compete for prizes in the

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will give their unnual ball at Guards

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"Dr." DEPEW has a right to the title. He has been remarkably successful in heeling hunself

Regular convention of Ocean de Leon Lodge, No 17, K of P, this (Thursday) evening at 8 o clock "Work in rank of Esquire Visiting and resident Knights welcome P O DANBOW, C C F W WISHER, K. of R and S A Sound Liver Makes a Well Man A Sound Liver Makes a Well Man.
Are you Bilous, Constpated or troubied with Jaundiee, Sick Headache, Bad Taste in Mouth, Foul Breath, Coated Tongne, Dyspepsis, Indigestion, Hot, Dry Skin, Pain in Back and Between the Shoulders' Chills and Fever, &c. If you have any of these symptoms, your Liver sout of order and your blood is slowly being poisoned, because your Liver does not set properly. Harbine will cine any disorder of the Liver, Stomach or Bowels. It has no equal as a Liver Medicine. Price, 75 cents. Sold by Sweamsgen & Tyler.

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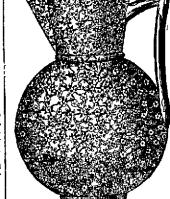
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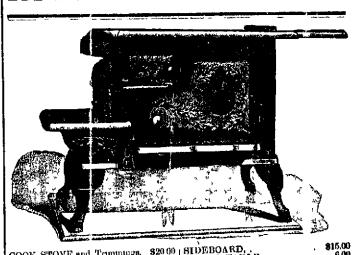
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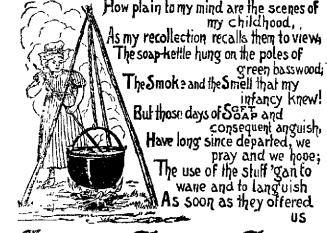
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In future Stapp's chapel will be known

Finest quadruple perfumes for the handkerchief at Ralph Templeton's phar-16dlw THE figures committee of the city will meet to pight at the city

"Oleopatra" to morrow

ral road has been late one hour two days A FULL line of fruits and vagetable

ony always be found at May & Church an's grocery store. THE business part of the town of Car-

argo was destroyed by fire last evening. The loss is placed at \$20,000. A MARRIAGE license was granted to day to E. Chapman and Miss M. A. Thomas, both of Springfield, Ill.

LOWELL carpets, bodies and ingrains States, received direct from the mills by Linn & Scruggs Dry Goods and Carpet

MR. AND MRS. ROBERT EDNEST WILL selebrate the 7th auniversary of their marriage this evening at their home on

resh country butter and spring chickens are specialties at May & Churchman's OUR Fast Black Hose will not fade

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Warsh rates for the Odd Fellows onclave at St. Louis—\$3.55 for round Tickets on sale Sept. 19-20, good eturning up to and including Sept. 28. DAVID P. MAYNARD, of Anderson, Ind.

and John Grass, ar., of this city, have been granted criginal pensions through the agency of M. Shen, pension attorney, In the elecutionary contest, at the W. C. T. U. convention at Lincoln last night Miss Willie A. Robertson, of Decatur, received the money prize awarded to the

THE young merchants, Anthony & Webb, are getting ready to open their new stock of ladies' and gents' furnish ing goods in the room vacated vestards:

Anour a dozen new students have enrolled this week at Brown's Decatur Business College. Many of them repreent the good towns and cities of Central

A Number of brand new Caligraph d Remington type-writers are being added to the battery at Brown's Decatur Business College to meet the growing mands of the work.

Miss McCov, of the firm of Sawyer McCoy, will return from the city to day. She would be pleased to see her many customers. We solicit an examination of our elegant patterns and large mullinery stock, selected while in the city. d2

Tue inter-collegiate prize banner for highest general average in penmanahip was won by the Decatur Business College last June. The banner was not transferred to this city and formally precented to the school till last Tuesday. It is an elegant piece of work and is highly

On the night of October 1st the Decatur Dramatic company will present "The National Memorial Hall fund. Half of

THE Springfield Register stated after the visit of the great show to that city that Bernum & Bailey's big show, which greater this season in size and attractive to buy GROCERIES AND made the same comment. The Barrum show is at Champaign. It will arrive to-morrow morning early.

The Stone in Place. After Grand Master Pearson had fin shed the beautiful Masonio ceremoni tending the laying of the corner ston of the new court house yesterday after noon, by invitation Hon. W. E. Nelson county judge, delivered an appropriat ddress, reviewing the history of the old rmed to return to the Temple, the board of supervisors, the architects of

personal character, with humorous turns, which caused considerable merriment at otervals. The Judge, as usual, was equal to the time and occasion, and ac nitted himself with grace and dignity Hon, W. S. Warvelle, of Chicago, Most Illustrious Grand Master of the Grand Council of Royal and Select Masons, fol owed with a short speech, explaining in measure the Masonic corner stone layemonies, which was heard with Decatur last night at the Masonic Tem nterest and profit. At this point the ple proved an interesting and erjoyable xercises closed and the column was re-

orner stone, not given last evening, were the following

Brand Lodge officers in full regalia ringing up the rear. The Knight Templar Grand Prelate of Grand Lodge officers, in all numbering he State in a carriage was Rev. James Miller; also Sir Knight Rev. M. M. Other articles placed in the box in the

photograph of the court house as it will ppear when finished, and a Masonic culdar, presented by John Y. Braden. Besides the band and grand lodge offirs there were in the parade 26 city and ounty officials, 42 Knights Templar and 146 Masons, making a total of 214 men. J. R. Gorin was the Past Grand Master and J. N. Baker the Grand Senio

A Slight Blaze.

Warden.

The fire department was called out early this morning to extinguish a fire in the rear of the Union Depot. The blaze was started in the building is which the second cook at the Central House slept and was supposed to have seen caused by a lighted cigarette. The plaze was discovered in time to prevent conflagration. It required but two ouckets full of water to quench the fire. The services of the department were not seded. R. Taggart, proprietor of the Central House to-day presented Hose House No. 2 with a box of "ten-centers' or their promptness in responding to the

Charged With Forgery. During the past two days Inspector Vickery, of Indianapolis, connected with the government service, has been to Decatur trying to locate S. M. Bowers, a young man charged with the forgery of 50,000 Masons-just and upright men the name of a man at Evansville, Ind , to a estoffice money order, on which he got \$25. After diligent inquiry Bowers was located on a farm north of Troutman Station, and last night United States ssioner Randolph isened a warrant for the arrest of Bowers, who was found and brought to the city. He will be taken to Indiana for trial and punish-

Wait a Few Days The clothing stock of Ottenheimer lo, is now in the elegant new room in he Masonic Temple Block, but it will be impossible to have the formal opening to-night, as had been arranged. The store will be open for business to-morow, circus day. Manager Kaniman wil make due approuncement for the grand opening reception, to occur some day and evening in the near future.

A MILLION A YEAR.

ottery and Prize Schemes Used to Soil Minn and Ammonia Baking Poliders

be raised. Many new questions are coming up and it is hard to determine what is best to do. They are questions, too, that must be answered. The question comes, 'What are we all doing.' The Lodge wants to know; the world wants to know, and the outside world has a right to know why we should continue to exist. There was a time when we had to keep quiet. Now volume after volume is printed about the principles of the order. What shall we do? When a lodge meets and has no work shall it adjourn and go home. It were better to take up the history of Masonry and make the lodge an historical society, and thus improve the minds of the brightner. Many profitable topics might be suggested, the consideration of which would be profitable to any lodge. Masonry teaches a man that he should learn to govern himself, and it also teaches how men are governed who de not control themselves. Reason and not passion should govern men. There was a time when it was brother Mason, now it is 'universal brother Mason,' now it is 'universal brotherhood of man.' The object lesson is the tragedy where one man disclaumed that he was his brother's keeper, has become the basis for the teaching of 5,000 years that "I am my brother's keeper," and no man does his duty who only recognizes the membership in good standing as his brethren. This world is getting too small for that Men here tonight are 200 miles away from home, but will breakfast at home to-morrow morning. Distance has been obliterated by railroads and telegraph lines. One of the grave questious before us has been whether more lodges should be organized. I once thought there ought not to be many more, but in the last year I have organized 14 new lodges."

MASONIC HISTORY OF DEGATUR an ammonia baking powder bosets that its yearly profits are over a million dollars. While, perhaps, none of the makers of alum powders individually can show so large carnings yet their profits are

A business so profitable, will always attract to itself those whose greed will ause them to utterly disregard the effect their traffic may have upon the health of

Alum baking powders are introduc largely by galts, prizes and lottery schemes A piece of glassware or china, a child's wagon, sled, a pewter spoon or same other article of attractive appearance, but of small intrinsic value or cost is give

effect upon the system, has been more fully considered and made the sunject of extended experiments by the scientists. so serious a matter is the use of alum in bread or other food considered to be, that most stringent laws have been enacted Spectre Knight" for the benefit of the to prevent it. These laws are rigidly enforced, and the sale of alum baking pow the proceeds of the play will go into the ders would not be permitted for an hour. fund. After the production here the Any one who attempted to make them troupe will visit all of the principal cities for use in food, or attempted to use them in the state and produce the opera for for raising bread, biscuit or cake would en ffer severe penaltice.

The ill effects upon the system of food raised by alum baking powders are the ious character. It would be less dangerone to the community were it fatal at features than the Forepaugh and Sells once, for then such food would be avoided; but their deleterious action because imperceptable at first is no less cer-

Feasting and Toasts Close the

Court House Corner Stone

the third story of the Masonic Temple at

7:45 o'clock p. m. The feast consisted of

Reliabes

Sponge Drops.
Chocolate Drops
French Drip Coffee Pare Joe Water.

About three-quarters of an hour was

spent in an attempt to show the Decatur

Mazons how much the spread was appre-

On account of the fact that some of the

earlier trains the toast-master, I. A.Buck-

ngham, promptly called the feasters to

order and announced, that toasts were in

The first toast of the evening was "The

Grand Lodge"-response by the Grand

Master, John M. Pearson. He said: "My

it appropriate to call on me. I once

thought I knew a great deal about the

years and found I did not know as much

as I thought I did. It is a big subject-

against whom not an objection could

be raised. Many new questions are com-

ing up and it is hard to determine what

ustad.

Cignus.

Almond Polls.

Ceremonies. HISTORY OF MASONRY IN DECATOR Three Hundred Guests at the Ban quet - Addresses by State Officials and Home Masons-Remmiscences of Early Days in De entur in the Fraternal Circle. The banquet given by the Masons o

knows no limits and who have the brains, the courage and the money to carry through successfully any enterprise they underctake. I am proud of Illinois Mesonry; I am proud of the Grand Lodge of Illinois; I am proud of the Grand Lodge of Illinois; I am proud of the Grand Master who presides over her deliberations, Hon. John M. Pearson, under whose direction the beautiful ceremonies of laying the corner stone of our court house was so successfully performed today, a christian gentleman, a man of intelligence, a Mason indeed and in truth, with courage to stand for the right, who has honored us with his presence to-day. Last, though by no means least, I am proud of this beautiful city of Decatur, where I have lived for nearly 60 years, prond of this beautiful city of Decatur, where I have lived for nearly 60 years, and watched with great interest her growth from a hamlet of 17 shanties to a city of 20,000 live, energetic people. I am proud of the Masonic fraternity for Decatur; a more noble and loyal body of Masons cannot be found anywhere. I am proud of our sister lodges, who are represented here to-night. I present them, M. W. G. Master, for your inspection. Brethren, behold your Grand Master." The county and city officers, the the court house, the contractor, and the local and visiting Masonic brethren, including the Grand Master and other THE CITY OF DECATUR was next announced and was responded to by I. R. Mills. He said: "Self prais about 300 persons, took their places at the tables in the large banquet hall in

to by I. R. Mills. He said: "Self praise is said to be half scandal. It is claimed that it local pride there is much of concert. This is partly true, and yet it is true that we as a rule think more of our own than that of our neighbors. We can say some things about Decatur with becoming modesty; for metance, that is the best city in the state outside of Chicago. I have only lived in Decatur 12 years, yet I have seen it transformed from a village into the proportions of a city. I at itrat wondered why I was chosen to this toset, but I presume it is from a village into the proportions of a city. I at first wondered why I was chosen to this toset, but I presume it is on the theory advanced by the boy who farled to answer the question. "Who made you," which was answered by a little girl much younger, when he said, 'Well, it hasn't been so long since she was made and she ought to remember.' The growth of Decatur is proverbul. I went to the records and found that tee real estate transactions for August, 1886, were \$163,555; in August, 1891, they were \$392,588. I inquired at the banks and found that on Sept. 1, 1886, the deposits of our people were \$1,116,000. On the same date in 1891 the amount was \$2,245,000. Lest some might say this is simply an evidence that our rich men have grown richer I sought out facts to show the prosperity of our laboring men and learned that on Sept. 18, 1836, the two principal loan associations had accumulated savings amounting to \$116,050; on Sept. 1, 1891, these saving aggregated \$350,000. During the past four years the city has expended \$500,000 in public improvements. Do you say that has been taken from the property owners? We admit it, but answer that the property which has been subject to special taxation for these improvements has been taxed that the property which has been subject to special taxation for these improvements has been taken from the property owners? Grand Lodge officers had to reach the old association with farmers clubs makes We admit it, but answer that the property which has been subject to special taxation for these improvements has been advanced by such improvements \$2,000,000 in value. Every dollar of these improvements represents labor; the material is the clay dug out of our own hills. We challenge any city in Illinois, outside of Ohneago, to make such a showing in the past five years. Within that period we have expended \$50,000 for new school houses, and within the last 16 months over \$150,000 for new churches. A few years ago one street car, with a flat car attached for baggage, and one inule did the business between the depot and the business part of the city, and had time to spare; now we have a quarter of a million dellars invested in the best electric street railway systems in the country. Every industry we had five years ago has grown and those who have attacked the windspries are pleased with their success. Five years ago we were ashaused to show a streament and the contraction of the country. Grand Lodge. I have studied it for 25 tries are pleased with their success. Five years ago we were ashumed to show a stranger our hotels, opera house and churenes; to-day we point with pride to a new hotel, the result of its enterprising proprietor, and to a new opera house, the best outside of Chicago, which as enterprising efficien, standing alone, has built at an expense of \$75,000. We were once ashamed to talk about a court house to a stranger; to-day we have laid that once ashamed to talk about a court house to a stranger; to day we have laid the corner atone of a new court house to cost about \$85,000. We congratulate the supervisors; we congratulate our selves on this result. We want to tell the Illinois Central railroad that we are ready to lay the corner stone of a new depoi. If it does not build a depot we will do it outselves and charge it to the company."

OUR VISITING BRETHREN was responded to by Geo. W. Warvelle, who said that for the visiting brethren he who said that for the visiting brethren he had only their warmest thenks to extend. Spenking of the principles of the order, he said that often as he had heard eminent speakers on the glorous principles of the order he had gloried in the fact. that he was a member. But the Masonic brotherbood does not consist in sentimany more, but in the last year I have organized 14 new lodges."

MASONIC HISTORY OF DECATUR

was the next toast—responded to by Past Grand Master J. R. Gorin. He such is brother. Sentiment is cheep. When such is brother. Sentiment is cheep. When you go down, and your brother goes up, and when you need his help, he says, and when you need his help, he says, and when you need his help, he says, and sent eight years old my father, who was about eight years old my father, who was a Masou then, tack me with him to town where a meeting of Masons was held in the court house. Curiosty led me with the beauty and connected to the court house. Curiosty led me with connected to the court house of th

of small intrusic value or, cost is given with each purchase, or a number is attached to the can which entitles the customer to a similarly numbered article or to a prize of some kind. It is in some and have a most an early location of the source of the consumption by the public which has now attained such giant proportions and their consumption by the public which has reached an extent which is truly alarming.

The highest authorities of all countries condemn the use of alum in bread without reserve. In America the most distinguished physicians, chemists and hygienists have dealared that the traffic in alum baking powders should be suppressed by law. In England and France, where the subject of pure feed, and its offect upon the system, has been more fully considered and made the smaker of the states of subject of pure feed, and its offect upon the system, has been more fully considered and made the smaker of subject of pure feed, and its offect upon the system, has been more fully considered and made the smaker of subject of pure feed, and its offect upon the system, has been more fully considered and made the smaker of subject of pure feed, and its offect upon the system, has been more fully considered and made the smaker of subject of pure feed, and its offect upon the system, has been more fully considered and made the smaker of subject of pure feed, and its offect upon the system, has been more fully considered and made the smaker of subject of pure feed, and its offect upon the system, has been more fully considered and made the smaker of subject of pure feed, and its offect upon the system, has been more fully considered and made the smaker of subject of subject of pure feed. The subject of THE NEW COURT HOUSE .

was well done by Judge W. E. Nelson in his happiest style. He spoke of the co-ordinate branches of government and dwelt on the judiciary; told how hard it has been to find where the courte were atting, and congratulated everybody of the new court house; saying that as he stood with his feet on the new corne stone he thought more money might have been spent, but the building will be one that will answer every purpose for

mas the first, and Josel S. Poet, who died a few years since, was the second applicant. Your humble servant or J. J. Pedded accord the third. I took the three degrees the same night and was elected secretary at the sime sisting. This was in the fall of 1841. A brick building was commenced in the apring of 1842, the first floor to be occupied as a school thouse, the second for a Masonic hall. Preparations were made to lay the corner stone with Masonic honors, which was done on the 24th day of June, 1842, by the Grand Lodge, Maredith Helm, G. Alexander, who with my father rode horseback from Vandalia, a distance of 75 miles. My father carried the Holy Writings. Quite a delegation came from Springfield, among them Bro. Springer, our present Grand Chaplan, who is with us to-day. None of the grand officers who assuted in laying this, the first corner stone of a lodge with Masonic honors. some who desired to hear from others present, and a call for such as they desired to hear would be in order. Ex. United States Judge Hill, of Miss., who is vesting his brother, H. W. Hill, of Decatur, was called, and responded in a happy speech which was well received and frequently and warmly applanded. He said that sectional lines had been dollterated by commerce and inter-marmarriages; that the North had the corn and the meat-houses, while the South had the cotton. I don't live here, and and you will not accuse me of bragging ner stone of a lodge with Masonic honors a in the state, are living, except W. Bro. Springer, who I think was then Grand Chaplen; but all have gone to that "bourne from whence no traveler returns." Macon Ludge has been the been hive which has averaged agreed. made the same comment. The Barnum FRUITS of all kinds is at The protecting effect which alim has been fairly and the makes a Specialty of Fruit for Canning Purposes, Peaches Pears, Plums, Grapes, Apricotts; &c.

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FINN, The Grocer,

and the same comment. The Barnum habow is at Champaign. The was seen that the same and the same of the same in the sa

the unfortunate. I am proud of the beautiful cities, the city of the lake, the garden city, the second city in the United States, and of her people whose energy knows no limits and who have the brains, the courage and the money to carry the course of the guests on such consistency. Christian bounty, the visiting brethren, by a rising vote, thanked the lodges of Decatur for the grand entertainment they so much enjoyed, and then everybody went home well pleased and happy, and we might add, proud of Decatur.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Nicholson

Frand Pahmeyer went to Assumption and Macon to day on business. Miss Kate McDermott left to-day for Chicago to visit relatives and friends. Miss Susie Merkle, of Paris, is a new student at the Brown Business College Mrs. Dr. Thomas, of Argenta, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. L. Dumont

Miss Berths Bandall has returned to Northampton, Mass., where she will re sume her studies.

States Attorney Mills is at Paris to day engaged in an important lawsuit. He was summoned there by telegraph.

Lieut C. B. Moore and children leave to-night for Annapolis, Md. They will be accompanied by Mrs. Jesse H. Moore, who will spend the winter with her son.

arm.
Miss Ella Morgan, a pupil in the short-hand department of Brown's Decatur Business College during the past year has just accepted a position as stenographer in the office of Gov Fifer at Spennofield.

Rev. P. L. Turner and wife of Pitts-field, are visiting their son, C. B. Turner on West Main street. The latter will romain in the city while the former at-tends the Methodist conference at Bloomington.

Judge R. A. Hill, of Oxford Miss, who has been traveling quite extensively through the eastern and northern states, stopped over in this city yesterday to attend the Masonic commonies last evening and to visit his brother, H. W. Hill. He departed to-day for his home. W. C. T. U. Convention.

The second day's session of the Woman's Christain Temperance Union of the Fourteenth Congressional District, in progress at Lincoln, embraced and executive service, organization, appointment of committees, report of country Presidents appointment of the service of the service

Sales of Real Estate.

James Vicholson to Edna Lindsay, deed to be 14, in 16, 16, 3 east—\$1500. W. H. Rapp and G. P. Blume to Got-leib Kijawa, deed to \$4 feet in width off the north side of lot 9, block I, Pedde-

Rev. W. H. Penhallegan, paster of the First Presbyterien church, having re-turned home, will lead services as usual To Whom It May Concern. The old sewer from North street to West Main street is abundand All parties interested are notified to make connection with the Union Street sewer. Sept 17-d6

Chicago Grain Market.

Grain Company: Live Stock—Estimated receipta— Hogs—20,000; strong. Gath—20,000; lower. Grain—Oar lots— Wheat 460; Corn 490; Cate 238

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From the Delineator for September. BANNOCKBURNS

ble production is now for sale at the BOSTON STORE,

Mice Fannie Coke went to Pana to-day to visit relatives. A. H. Varney, of Ramsey, is in the city on a brief visit.

Mrs. Thomas Hardy went to Catlin Ill., this morning to attend the funeral o

Mrs. W. J. Gondell and granddaughter, Lors Condell, left this morning for St. Louis, to be absent a week.

H. S. Bunton, proprietor of the Hendee house, at Bushnell, was in the city to-day, visiting R. Taggart, proprietor of the Central house.

Mrs. W. F. Martin returned to-day from a visit with relatives in Ashland, Ill. While absent she has the misfortune to fall and fracture a bone in her left

ment of committees, report of county
Presidents, reports of superintendents
of departments, a juvenile concert, young
women's elecutionary contest, and an
address by Miss Effic Henderson of
Bloomington. The various reports
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